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For: FUCOSYL GM1-KLH CONJUGATE VACCINE AGAINST SMALL

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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### SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(2) to supplement the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 22, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application.

In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. \$1.56, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following references which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 (Exhibit A), and attached hereto as Exhibits 1-3:

- 1. Brezicka, F.T., Holmgren, J., Kalies, I. and Lindholm, L. (1991) Tumor-cell killing by MAbs against fucosyl GM1, a ganglioside antigen associated with small-cell lung carcinoma. Int. J. Cancer 49(6): 911-918.
- 2. Kensil, C.R., Newman, M.J., Coughlin, R.T. et al. (1993)

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3. Makela, P.H., Eskola, J., Kayhty, H. and Takala, A.K. (1995) Vaccines against Haemophilus influenzae type b. Molecular and Clinical Aspects of Bacterial Vaccine Development (D.A.A. Ala'Aldeen and C.E. Hormaeche, eds.), Ch. 2, pp. 47, 56 and 57.

The above-listed references were first cited in an International Search Report issued on January 19, 1999, in connection with PCT Application No. PCT/US98/20073, International counterpart of the above-identified application. A copy of the Search Report is attached hereto as Exhibit B. Of the remaining references cited in the Search Report, Zhang et al. (1997) was submitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office in an Information Disclosure Statement filed on January 22, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application, and Vangsted et al. (1994) was cited by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in a Notice Of References Cited issued along with an Office Action dated July 19, 2001 in connection with the above-identified application.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make the above-listed references of record in the present application by initialing and dating the enclosed Form PTO 1449, and returning a copy of the executed form to applicants' representatives with the next Communication concerning this application.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing the prosecution of this application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone either of them at the number below.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. \$1.97(c)(2) and \$1.17(p), no fee other than

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the enclosed fee of \$180.00 is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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